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Letter dated 31 December 2008 from the Chairman of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) addressed to the President of the Security Council

I have the honour to transmit herewith the report of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) (see annex), which covers the Committee's activities during the period from 1 January to 31 December 2008. This report is submitted in accordance with the note by the President of the Council of 29 March 1995 (S/1995/234).

(*Signed*) Giulio **Terzi di Sant'Agata**
Chairman
Security Council Committee established pursuant to
resolution 1718 (2006)

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Annex

Annual report of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006)

1. The present report of the Security Council Committee established pursuant to resolution 1718 (2006) covers the period from 1 January to 31 December 2008.

2. For 2008, the Bureau consisted of Marcello Spatafora (Italy), until 31 July, and Giulio Terzi di Sant'Agata (Italy), from 22 August, as Chairmen, with the delegations of Costa Rica and the Libyan Arab Jamahiriya providing the two Vice-Chairmen.

3. In the reporting period, the Committee had been ready to meet with such frequency as was necessary to carry out its duties effectively.

4. In discharging its mandate, the Committee was guided by paragraph 12 of Security Council resolution 1718 (2006). Since 1 January 2008, no information relevant to the implementation of its mandate has been brought to the attention of the Committee.

5. As of 31 December 2008, the Committee had received replies from 73 countries and 1 organization (European Union) to its note verbale of 1 November 2006, concerning the implementation of resolution 1718 (2006) (see enclosure). Replies are issued as documents of the Committee and are also accessible electronically at the Official Document System of the United Nations and on the Committee website, unless a State requests that its reply be kept confidential.

6. While affirming that the primary responsibility for implementing the provisions of resolution 1718 (2006) rests with States, the Committee stands ready, when requested, to facilitate implementation of those measures. The Committee will continue such cooperation with Member States and/or relevant organizations upon receiving specific requests in this regard.

Enclosure

Reports received pursuant to paragraph 11 of Security Council resolution 1718 (2006)

Member State or organization	*Document symbol*	*Date of communication*
Australia	S/AC.49/2006/1	10 November 2006
Canada	S/AC.49/2006/2	13 November 2006
United Kingdom of Great Britain and Northern Ireland	S/AC.49/2006/3	13 November 2006
Denmark	S/AC.49/2006/4	30 November 2006
Liechtenstein	S/AC.49/2006/5	13 November 2006
Czech Republic	S/AC.49/2006/6	13 November 2006
Finland (on behalf of the European Union)	S/AC.49/2006/7	13 November 2006
Republic of Korea	S/AC.49/2006/8	13 November 2006
	S/AC.49/2006/8/Add.1	15 January 2007
Singapore	S/AC.49/2006/9	13 November 2006
Japan	S/AC.49/2006/10	13 November 2006
United States of America	S/AC.49/2006/11	13 November 2006
France	S/AC.49/2006/12	13 November 2006
Russian Federation	S/AC.49/2006/13	13 November 2006
	S/AC.49/2006/13/Add.1	1 June 2007
Slovakia	S/AC.49/2006/14	14 November 2006
Hungary	S/AC.49/2006/15	14 November 2006
New Zealand	S/AC.49/2006/16	15 November 2006
Finland	S/AC.49/2006/17	13 November 2006
Slovenia	S/AC.49/2006/18	14 November 2006
Marshall Islands	S/AC.49/2006/19	16 November 2006
Belarus	S/AC.49/2006/20	16 November 2006
China	S/AC.49/2006/21	15 November 2006
Sweden	S/AC.49/2006/22	16 November 2006
Cuba	S/AC.49/2006/23	13 November 2006
Romania	S/AC.49/2006/24	14 November 2006
Cyprus	S/AC.49/2006/25	16 November 2006
Poland	S/AC.49/2006/26	16 November 2006
Belgium	S/AC.49/2006/27	17 November 2006
Sri Lanka	S/AC.49/2006/28	20 November 2006
Thailand	S/AC.49/2006/29	20 November 2006
Argentina	S/AC.49/2006/30	22 November 2006
	S/AC.49/2006/30/Add.1	5 February 2007
Bulgaria	S/AC.49/2006/31	28 November 2006
	S/AC.49/2006/31/Add.1	7 February 2007

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Italy	S/AC.49/2006/32	28 November 2006
Germany	S/AC.49/2006/33	30 November 2006
Switzerland	S/AC.49/2006/34	30 November 2006
Brazil	S/AC.49/2006/35	10 November 2006
Spain	S/AC.49/2006/36	29 November 2006
Portugal	S/AC.49/2006/37	30 November 2006
Albania	S/AC.49/2006/38	1 December 2006
The former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia	S/AC.49/2006/39	6 December 2006
South Africa	S/AC.49/2006/40	7 December 2006
Panama	S/AC.49/2006/41	14 December 2006
Malta	S/AC.49/2006/42	12 December 2006
Latvia	S/AC.49/2006/43	19 December 2006
Peru	S/AC.49/2006/44	21 December 2006
Mexico	S/AC.49/2006/45	22 December 2006
Estonia	S/AC.49/2006/46	22 December 2006
Austria	S/AC.49/2007/1	28 December 2006
Serbia	S/AC.49/2007/2	9 January 2007
Indonesia	S/AC.49/2007/3	10 January 2007
Qatar	S/AC.49/2007/4	10 January 2007
	S/AC.49/2007/4/Add.1	14 May 2007
Lithuania	S/AC.49/2007/5	15 January 2007
Greece	S/AC.49/2007/6	11 December 2006
Netherlands	S/AC.49/2007/7	14 December 2006
Philippines	S/AC.49/2007/8	22 January 2007
	S/AC.49/2007/8/Add.1	14 February 2007
Viet Nam	S/AC.49/2007/9	19 January 2007
Kyrgyzstan	S/AC.49/2007/10	19 January 2007
United Arab Emirates	S/AC.49/2007/11	23 January 2007
Ukraine	S/AC.49/2007/12	19 January 2007
	S/AC.49/2007/12/Add.1	23 May 2007
Guatemala	S/AC.49/2007/13	6 February 2007
Turkey	S/AC.49/2007/14	9 February 2007
Pakistan	S/AC.49/2007/15	11 January 2007
Kuwait	S/AC.49/2007/16	17 January 2007
Croatia	S/AC.49/2007/17	20 February 2007
Jordan	S/AC.49/2007/18	20 February 2007
Bahrain	S/AC.49/2007/19	28 February 2007
Kazakhstan	S/AC.49/2007/20	26 February 2007
Mongolia	S/AC.49/2007/21	5 March 2007

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Maldives	S/AC.49/2007/22	8 March 2007
India	S/AC.49/2007/23	20 February 2007
Israel	S/AC.49/2007/24	19 April 2007
Algeria	S/AC.49/2007/25	15 May 2007
Saudi Arabia	S/AC.49/2007/26	26 June 2007
Luxembourg	S/AC.49/2008/1	11 February 2008
Brunei Darussalam	S/AC.49/2008/2	26 March 2008